

***Rising 6th Graders!***  
***Meet New Friends!***  
***Get to know the school!***  
***Have fun!***

**North Gwinnett Middle  
Presents**



# **Bulldog Training Camp**

**June 13 -16, 2011**

**9:00 - 12:00**

**\$100.00**

## **Why Should I attend Bulldog Training Camp?**

- It will be fun!
- You will learn how to find your way around the building and how to change classes each time the bell rings.
- You will learn how to open your locker so you will feel more comfortable and at ease when school starts in August.
- You can meet new students and make new friends before the school year begins.
- You can meet many of the 6th grade teachers prior to school starting in August.
- Lots of summer sessions are being offered, so pick a favorite, and have fun while you learn!

# Schedule for the Day

**9:00-9:30      Ice Breaker**

**9:35-10:20    1st Period - Class #1**

**10:25-11:10   2nd Period - Class #2**

**11:15-12:00   3rd Period - Class #3**

## Class Selections:

(Please pick your top 3 along with one alternate selection)

- **Are You a Poet and Know It:**

In this class, you will explore different types of poetry and write your own. You will use your creative soul to express your inner self. We will create a poetry portfolio and get a head start on poetry lingo used in sixth grade.



- **Finding Our Way Around North Gwinnett Middle**

Students will work on map and globe skills and learn about lines of latitude and longitude. They will also learn about the arctic and tropic zones on Earth. The students will be given a map of the school and must utilize basic map skills such as cardinal and intermediate directions learned in class to help them navigate their way around the school when they go on a scavenger hunt. This class will give the students a huge advantage next school year, as they will already know their way around the school.



- **CSI, Is It For You:**

Come investigate the world of forensic science this summer. Learn how the real CSI's do it! Learn fingerprinting, how to collect evidence, and process crime scenes. We look forward to seeing you this summer.



- **Intro to MS PE Fitness and Games:**

Spend the week getting familiar with middle school PE. See the locker rooms, get info on dressing out, and find out all the different fun and healthy activities you will take part in during your middle school years PE.



- **Catering as a Career:**

Students will learn about the career from creating a business name and logo, to dealing with clients and even creating a food item. Come join us to see if you have a taste for catering.



- **Around the World in Four Days:**

As a way to preview the 6<sup>th</sup> grade Social Studies curriculum, students will use the computer to research a travel destination to one of the following places: Australia, Canada, Latin America or Europe. Students will use Microsoft Publisher to create a travel diary and detail in words and pictures all the exciting things to do and see in their chosen destination.



- **Edible Science:**

Students and teachers love food, and a great way to learn new topics is to tie the topics to something we can eat!! This summer we will introduce 6<sup>th</sup> grade Academic Knowledge and Skills relating to Earth Science with activities that include food. We will use candy bars to find density, Little Debbie snack cakes to take core soil samples, examine “rock” samples, and a few other yummy learning activities.

**\*\*Caution: Peanuts may be found in candy!!**



- **Around the World Scavenger Hunt:**

You will create a scavenger hunt using countries from around the world, such as Europe, Latin America, Canada and Australia. At the same time, you will be implementing advanced technology ideas, so keep your eyes open and lets see what you discover.



- **Wanted . . . New Friends:**

Are you worried you won't have many friends at NGMS? In this creative writing class, we will use children's literature and technology to make a newsletter. We will make a friendship journal, and play interactive games. By the end of the week, you will feel much more comfortable about starting 6<sup>th</sup> grade at NGMS.



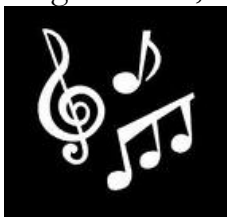
- **Creative Math:**

Use creativity to problem solve with integers, graphs, fractions and geometry. See how much fun math can really be.



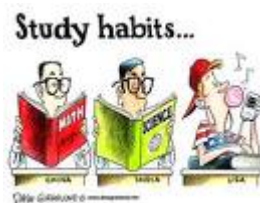
- **Musical Explorations:**

Students will get the opportunity to learn about the basics of music and learn more about all of the exciting, and very successful music programs NGMS has to offer. If you already play an instrument, or think you might like to, this option is for you.



- **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Preparama:**

This class will help students develop organization and study habits they will utilize throughout middle school and beyond. We will play games, including trivia about school readiness and organization and will have fun with get-to-know you activities.



- **The Fitness of Math:**

Think math and fitness go together? In this class, you will use different math formulas to make your own healthy granola bars. Then you'll put on your writing cap to compose a piece about health, exercise and the importance of good nutrition. So eat up, and be healthy.



- **Math Madness:**

Is math fun? Do you think of math as a game? If not, then sign up for this summer camp course and discover just how fun math can be. You'll play math games and see just how much you do use math everyday in real life.



## Registration Form

To register for summer camp, please list below your top three selections, along with a fourth alternate selection. Return the completed form, along with a check for \$100 made out to North Gwinnett Middle School, no later than May 27, 2011.

**STUDENT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT(S) NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class Selection:**

**First Selection:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Second Selection:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Third Selection:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate Selection:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions. Our number is 678/745-2300.**

**We look forward to seeing you June 13 – 16, for NGMS Bulldog Training Camp.**

Please mail registration form and payment to:

North Gwinnett Middle School  
Bulldog Camp  
170 Peachtree Industrial Blvd  
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